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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ENRG, AF, AG
SUBJECT: NATURAL GAS PRICES

LNG IS EXPORTED FROM LIBYA AT A TAX BASE PRICE OF \$1.75 PER
MILLION BTU, A CONCEPT SIMILAR TO THAT OF POSTED PRICE
FOR CRUDE OIL. PRICE OF LNG HAS BEEN A POLITICAL ISSUE HERE.
AND SOLE PRODUCER/EXPORTER IS NOT PERMITTED TO PUBLICIZE THE
ACTUAL FOB PRICE. HOWEVER, PIW IS SAID TO HAVE REPORTED
ACTUAL PRICE AT \$1.29 PER MILLION BTU, WHICH WE UNDERSTAND
IS ACCURATE.
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